



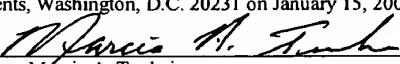
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Applicant:	Chen et al.	Examiner:	Not yet assigned
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Title:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RECOVERING FROM A FAILED SYNCHRONIZATION SESSION		

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), a copy of each document or other information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided. Enclosed for the Examiner's information is a copy of the International Search Report.

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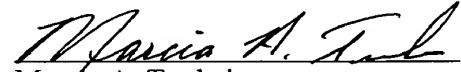
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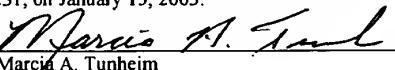


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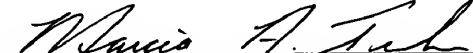
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	US 5,434,994	07/18/95	Shaheen et al.	395	500	
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